

SEPA Environmental Event Report

Elms Event Number ENV/0892801 **Notification Number** 1
Event Description 2 sisters odour complaints at Union st. Coupar Angus.

Reported By

Surname **Origin** Public Complainant
Forename **Affected Medium** Air
Organisation Name **Investigating Team** Falkirk, Alloa, Stirling and Perth
Address 1 **Investigating Officer**
Address 2
Address 3
Town
Post Code
Tel No
Fax No
Email Address

Receiving Officer

Time Received 14:10:00 **Time Responded** 13:38:00
Date Received 18-JUN-18 **Date Responded** 19-JUN-18
Within 24? Yes

Location **Located Notifiers Address?** Yes

Date Event Occurred 18-JUN-18

Site Name 2 Sisters Poultry Limited, Coupar Angus **RSA Site?** No

Catchment

Mental H&S Assessment Low

Assessment Description

Impact Category 4 - Other **Type** Odour
Cause Unknown **Sector** Industry
Source IPC / PPC part A **Sepa Activity** PPC
Potential Hazard **Farm Name**

Complainants Notified? Yes **Details** Attempts made to contact i.e call made- voicemail left. Other complainant did not want feedback

Action	Description
	Notification sent to EPI inbox (18/06/2018). [redacted] advised he lives [redacted] from site (2 sisters). Caller noticed outside [redacted] property gut w renching disgusting odour. Strong winds - how ever odour still present. Caller is frustrated as nothing seems to be sorted permanently. [redacted] who advised all normal on site but that he w ould check vehicle movements dow n that street.
19/06/2018 10am	[redacted] for update on vehicle movements.
19/06/18 - 2 notifications sent to epi inbox for [redacted] house.	[redacted] - 12.33hrs and 13.13hrs - both advising of odour outside distinct chicken factory smell. caller believes linked to new extension being built. has been an issue again since works started. (complaint logged here as notification2)
	[redacted] who is out on site and had planned to do odour assessment in Coupar Angus, i advised him of latest complaint and he w ould attend.
	Advised him about latest complaint on union St. He updated me on vehicle movements (for 18/6/18). They had blood and sludge collection at 07:50, sludge again at 10:05 (done by gravity so as not to use vehicle exhaust). These pick ups headed tow ards Perth aw ay from union st. The wind at the time w as strong about 20-25 mph, direction w as ESE to south across the centre of the site. [redacted] unable to give any other reason for the complaint. He advised 2 sisters are talking w ith alba foods w ith the idea of doing all sludge / blood collections at midnight. Following recent complaint today [redacted] going to take a w alk up Union st to see if he could identify any odour. Approx 3pm [redacted] w alked up union street- past the garage they advised they could not detect chicken odour but did notice a smoke odour from a fire once they left the tow n cross area and got closer to the shell garage it petered out.
16:25 hrs	[redacted] back to advise that he did not detect an offensive odour at Union st near to garage/ dalblair/ cairngorm. He detected absolutly nothing. At the cross he smelt the fire / burning. At strathmore / King st there w as initially a strong odour [redacted] described it as a scalded smell) but it did not hang around in the air long enough to be offensive. Sidlaw cr w as ok. Scotmid there w as an odour here more a musky hen pen smell- but not offensive. parked in scotmid carpark in SEPA van.
16:58	[redacted] left voicemail w ith [redacted] and contact details to give update (i.e of our investigation/ officer out on site. Odour missed he w as speaking off / not able to substantiate)
Second complainent	[redacted] did not w ant feedback/ call back from details on SCC report.
	NFA in this instance. Unable to substantiate odour/ offensive odour.